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RESUBMISSION OF IDS; REQUEST FOR CHANGE IN ASSIGNEE IDENTIFICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed July 28, 2003, Applicant submitted the Issue Fee for the above-identified application on October 28, 2003. The Issue Fee Transmittal was accompanied by a Rule 312 Amendment and an Information Disclosure Statement and cited references. To date, Applicant has not received any response from the USPTO regarding the IDS submitted with the Issue Fee. Calls to the Examiner and Publications at the USPTO indicate or suggest that the documents were received but not yet matched with the file. This status, however, is not reflected in the PAIR system (receipt of the Issue Fee has been confirmed by the PAIR system and the deposit account records of Applicant's attorney).

In view of this situation, the Examiner has recommended that the IDS originally submitted with the Issue Fee Transmittal be resubmitted. Accordingly, Applicant is resubmitting herewith the IDS and cited references previously submitted with the Issue Fee Transmittal, along with a copy of the Rule 312 Amendment and a copy of Applicant's postcard. Entry and consideration of the IDS and Rule 312 Amendment are requested.

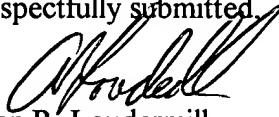
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Applicant also wishes to inform the USPTO that this application has been assigned to:

Negotiated Data Solutions LLC, an Illinois Limited Liability Company, located in Chicago, Illinois. Applicant requests that the issued patent reflect the current assignee, Negotiated Data Solutions LLC.

Please contact Applicant's attorney if there are any questions regarding the foregoing.

Respectfully submitted,



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